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The board of supervisors will meet Monday next to audit the bills against the county. They will also do a large amount of other necessary business.

Howard W. Squires will leave tomorrow by automobile for Los Angeles. He will journey by way of Bill Williams Fork and Parker, thence over the desert to the Angel City.

Miss Bernice Smith returned last Monday morning from Las Vegas, Nevada, where she visited with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Tuck. Tuesday morning she went up to Crozier, where she will visit this week with Mrs. Ida Walter.

Harvey Hubbs, wife and daughters, the Misses Alta and Nadine, departed to San Francisco last Wednesday evening, where they will spend a few weeks returning to the old home at Tulare to visit with relatives and friends. They will be gone a month.

A report is now current that the Santa Fe railroad between Goffs and Topock is to be double tracked, the work to begin not later than the first of October. At the same time work of double tracking will be commenced through this section, the railroad company preferring to wait until cooler weather for any extensive work on the desert.

Seven cars of local freight was received at Kingman station from the west last Monday and four cars were switched out from the west bound local the following day, while large tonnage was unloaded from the through trains. While every day was not as good as the first days of the week Kingman freight receipts compare favorably with those of any town of three times its population in the territory.

Monaghan & Murphy, one of the oldest mercantile houses in Needles, is soon to pass into other hands, the old firm retiring on a well earned competency. When Frank Monaghan and Dan Murphy went to Needles it was composed of a few shacks on the extreme of the desert. Now the town has over 3,000 inhabitants and is one of the most prosperous towns in San Bernardino county.

Quite a number of Mohave county people will remember J. W. Stephenson, District Attorney of this county in 1880. Mr. Stephenson is now practicing his profession in San Bernardino, where he has married and settled down to the staid ways of a happy benedict. Last week Thursday he celebrated the birth of a son, this being the seventh child in the family, five sons and two daughters, and the son, of that city is congratulating him on getting into the Roosevelt class. All the old boys here are pleased to learn that our old friend Stephenson is still among the live ones.

By the breaking of the feed pipe on the big auto truck of the Arizona Southwestern Copper Company, between Yucca and Blue Mary Spring, last Tuesday evening, the gas tank was set on fire from the exhaust pipes and the machine destroyed. The driver, S. W. Alger, and Robert Jacobson were howling along toward Yucca when the accident occurred. They barely had time to save their effects before the fire reached the tank and the explosion occurred. The loss is estimated at about 3,000\$. The truck was in use only about two months between the railroad station of Yucca and the road grading camp near Blue Mary Spring.

Dr. J. R. Whiteside, County Superintendent of Health, accompanied by J. C. Potts, chairman of the Board of Health, and Assistant District Attorney C. G. Krook, secretary of the board, visited many places in and around Kingman yesterday and are now preparing notices to the property owners requiring them to clean up their places. The gentlemen have been quite thorough in their investigations and will prosecute those that fail to comply with the requirements of the board. Kingman should be the healthiest place in the territory, having good drainage and good water, but the people make a mistake when they allow their back yards to become so foul that deep wells may become contaminated.

**Mohave County Tax List.**

The original tax roll of Mohave county has been completed by the Assessor and the footings show that the listment, under the old levy of last year, foots up the snug sum of 2,496,636.31\$. To this must be added property valued at about 35,000\$, which would bring the county quite a ways over the limit of second class counties. Again the Santa Fe railroad is taxed at a rate of 175\$ per mile, which at a levy of 4\$ on the 100\$ would make the listment 4,500\$ per mile. But the rate this year will be about 3.50\$ per 100\$, bringing the valuation of the Santa Fe to more than 5,000\$ per mile and consequently increasing the appraisement of property of the county to 2,550,000\$.

The real fact of the assessment of Mohave county property is that there is far more than 3,000,000\$ worth of taxable property in the county, but there appears to be no desire on the part of the big property owners to list it with the assessor. Big cattle sales have been made during the year approximating in many instances more than 60,000\$, yet the cattle given in to the assessor for listment does not run to more than one-tenth that amount. Men who value their personal and real property at nearly 100,000\$ have given in a listment of from 10,000\$ to 12,000\$. Some day the attorney general of the territory will make inquiry of the failure to give a correct list of property and the parties failing to come through will be mulcted in a sum that will make their heads swim.

With a proper valuation of property the levy for the county should not be above 2\$ on the 100\$ of valuation.

**Mrs. Erkenbrecher Dead.**

Mrs. Matilda Erkenbrecher, mother of Byron Erkenbrecher, died in her home in Los Angeles last Wednesday of heart disease. Mr. Erkenbrecher was one of the original investors in the Gold Road mine and while the others made a handsome cleanup when it was sold to Carey & Blyly. At the time she lived in Kingman a short time.

Last Saturday evening John Inkester, a miner employed in the Champion mine, drilled into a missed hole and was badly injured by the consequent blast. His left hand and arm were badly lacerated and it is probable that at least one finger will have to be amputated. The right hand was badly cut up by flying rock and many small pieces of rock entered his upper arm and breast. Dr. Whiteside was called to the mine and did everything possible to relieve the suffering of the injured man. He was brought to town Sunday morning and is now getting along nicely. He surely had a miraculous escape from death.

B. C. Taylor and wife have opened the Commercial Dining room and have one of the neatest and most inviting place in town. The room has been repainted and fitted up in an attractive manner, and then the meals are good and appetizing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold K. Marshall, who have been residents of Manila, Philippine Islands, are in Kingman. Mrs. Marshall was formerly a resident of Kingman and owns property in the town.

Miss Leona Hoffman, who has been assistant postmaster at Kingman, departed to the coast last Thursday evening. Her sister, Viola, has taken her place in the postoffice for a few weeks.

Hon. O. D. M. Gaddis and wife departed last evening to Flagstaff, from which place they will go to Oak Creek, where they will rest up for a while.

Hubert Smith is now operating a dray business in Kingman. The town of Kingman is growing fast and business requires more deliveries.

Mrs. E. F. Thompson and daughter departed to Los Angeles Thursday evening, where they will remain a month or more.

Mrs. Anson H. Smith and children have gone to Los Vegas, where Mrs. Smith will visit with her sister for some time.

Five cars of ore came in over the Western Railway of Arizona last Monday, showing that there is some activity in mining in the up range country. Two of the cars were from the Badger mine, at Chloride, one from the Champion and the other two from the Goldconda.

The Los Angeles Examiner, in a recent issue, made editorial comment on the subject of a great national highway across the continent, although its apparent advocacy of the road was through Wyoming, Utah and Nevada. But there is no reason why two or three great national highways should not be built, covering the distance between the great lines of railway with short lines to all the great scenic places along the routes. The people of the country are awakening to the possibilities of national highways and within ten years practically all the western states will be linked together by these great roadways.

**Card of Thanks.**

To the many kind friends that extended aid and comfort during the last illness of our mother we extend our heartfelt thanks.

MRS. LUCY CONARD,  
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Kingman, August 1, 1911.

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Notice by Clerk of Day Fixed for Hearing Return of Sale of Real Estate

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mohave, Territory of Arizona.  
In the matter of the estate of JOHN H. REILLY, Deceased.

Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court, made on the 24th day of July, 1911, notice is hereby given that John Mulligan, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, made to the said court, and filed in the office of the clerk thereof, on said day, a return of sale made by him on the 24th day of July, 1911, under a previous order of said Court, of the following real estate, and for the following named sum, to-wit:

An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to the "Cold Spring" mining claim, situate, lying and being in the Wallapai Mining District, Mohave county, Arizona.

For the sum of three hundred and thirty-five (\$335.00) dollars, as will more fully appear from said return filed as aforesaid, and to which reference is hereby made for further particulars.

And notice is hereby further given that Monday, the 21st day of August, 1911, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Court room of said Court, in Kingman, County of Mohave, has been fixed for hearing the said return, when and where any person interested in the said estate may appear and file written objections to the confirmation of the said sale, and may be heard, and may produce witnesses in support of such objections.

Dated July 4th, 1911.  
L. M. TEALE,  
Clerk of the Probate Court.

First insertion Aug. 5, 1911—19 Aug.

Notice by Clerk of day Fixed for Hearing Return of Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF THE TERRITORY of Arizona, County of Mohave.  
In the matter of the estate of A. P. JACOBS, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court, made on the 24th day of July, 1911, notice is hereby given that A. F. Harris, Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, made to the said Court, and filed in the office of the Clerk thereof, on said day, a return of sale made by him on the 24th day of July, 1911, under a previous order of said Court, of the following real estate and personal property, and for the following named sum, to-wit:

Lots 17 and 18 in block 26 of Townsite of Kingman, Mohave County, Arizona, and That certain Saloon Building, situate on land adjoining the Townsite of Kingman on South, and Stock and Fixtures therein,

For the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000 00) Dollars, as will more fully appear from said return filed as aforesaid, and to which reference is hereby made for further particulars.

And notice is hereby further given that Monday, the 21st day of August, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House in Kingman, County of Mohave, has been fixed for hearing the said return, when and where any person interested in the said estate may appear and file written objections to the confirmation of the said sale, and may be heard, and may produce witnesses in support of such objections.

Dated July 24th, 1911.  
L. M. TEALE,  
Clerk of the Probate Court.

First insertion Aug. 5-19.

J. H. KNIGHT President  
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\$3.25 for \$3  
\$5.50 for \$5

THE FORMAL OPENING WILL  
BE SUNDAY, AUG. 6th

**MENU**

Cream of Tomato Soup  
Fried Chicken Southern Style  
Mashed Potatoes. Corn on Cob  
Combination Salad  
Ice Cream and Cake  
Tea, Coffee, Ice Tea, Ice Coffee

Bring the Children for there  
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